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In re Application of:)
Demmer et al.)
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Int'l. Filing Date: 27 January 2005) Art Unit: 1656
For: A Method of Purification of High-Molecular) Confirmation No.: 6938
Compounds by Means of Affinity)
Membrane Chromatography)

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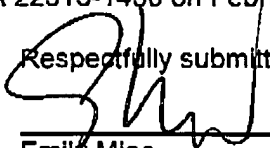
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 - c) Reference entitled "Ion Exchange Chromatography-principles and methods, page 10 (1980); and
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